

Dr. T. Verghese (*Chief Medical Officer*):

(a) Yes.

(b) Name	Qualification	Length of service till 11-12-1116
Miss M. Dakshayani Amma	M.B.B.S.	6 years 8 months 11 days
Miss K. Sumithra	M.B.B.S., D.G.O	1 year 7 months & 11 days as Honorary Assistant Surgeon

(c) Yes.

(d) The reasons for preferring Miss Sumithra were.—

- (i) qualification and experience in the general professional line;
- (ii) communal consideration; and
- (iii) transfer from one line of work to another is not in the best interests of service.

TRICHUR TUBERCULOSIS CLINIC—WORKING OF

224. Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar (*Cheruthuruthi*): Will Government be pleased to state.—

- (a) the date on which Thattil Kochuvareed's Tuberculosis Clinic was started;
- (b) the number of persons examined in the Clinic after that;
- (c) of these the number found suffering from tuberculosis?

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- (a) The work was started from 18th Dhanu 1116. The formal opening was on 2nd Kumbham 1116.
- (b) 1041 till the end of Mithunam 1116.
- (c) 719.